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"RULEVOJ"[i] reports that WELLES[ii] in a conversation with his friend Edgar MOWRER[iii] the noted war correspondent

> [43 groups unrecoverable] [23 groups unrecovered].

In WELLES opinion the U.S.A. should

[63 groups unrecovered],

UMBERTO-BADOGLIO

[38 groups unrecoverable]

and the "LEAGUE[LIGA]"[iv]

[17 groups unrecovered]

Comments:

[[]i] RULEVOJ: i.e. "HELMSMAN," Earl BROWDER.

^[11] Sumner WELLES, Under-Secretary of State.

^[111] Edgar Ansel MOWRER, former deputy director of Office of Facts and Figures and Office of War Information.

[[]iv] LIGA: The United States Government.